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Independent Claims		MINUS = 3	0	x \$78 =	
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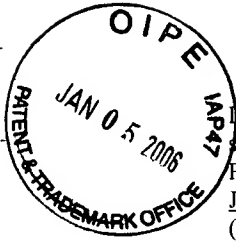
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### AMENDMENT

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In response to the office action of **31 October 2005**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.